

Polypay

Mature Body Weight

Ram 190-250 lb.
Ewe 140-180 lb.

Average Fiber Diameter

Micron 31-24
Spinning Count 60-48

Grease Fleece Weight

Ewe 7-10 lb.

Yield

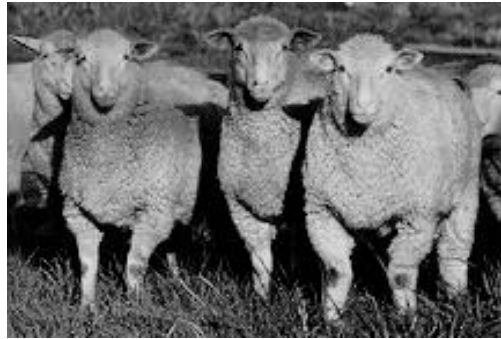
50-60%

Staple Length

3-5"

Description

The Polypay is a breed developed in the 1970's at the U.S. Sheep Experiment Station at Dubois, Idaho, and Nicholas Farms at Sonoma, California. Targhee x Dorset and Rambouillet x Finn sheep crosses were mated to form a 4-breed composite. The breed is medium-sized, white-faced and prolific with an extended breeding season. They are good mothers and milkers, and produce lambs with acceptable growth and carcass quality. Due to the recent formation of this breed, body size, type and fleece traits are still quite variable.

**Sales**

Montana Ram Sale

Polypay

Petersen's Polypay Sheep

Kermit and Sandy Petersen
Route 1 Box 2527
Sidney MT 59270
Phone: 406-482-3016
Range raised Polypays since 1977.

Jack Roe

PO Box 33
Sun River MT 59483
Phone: 406-264-5424
Work: 208-250-7374
Email: djnxtyr@3rivers.net
Yearling rams, ram lambs, ewe lambs.
200%+ lambing, 58 to 60's wool,
Dubois breeding.
Records: Farm

RT and Susan Snyder

780 20th RD NW
Choteau MT 59422
Phone: 406-466-5775
Work: 406-466-2337
Columbia, Targhee, Polypay

Greg Wichman

PO Box 466
Hilger MT 59451
Phone: 406-538-5686
Work: 406-350-2676
Fax: 406-538-5686
Email: Wchvermr@Lewistown.net
Records: Farm
Sales: Private Treaty

Sheep grazing is one of the most economically and environmentally sound
methods of controlling many noxious weeds.

